

DISTRICT REPORT.

8. Markets how supplied.
9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.
10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, area affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.
11. Public Health.
12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.—

	<i>Average.</i>	<i>Current.</i>	
Prices of food grains.—Boiled rice (2nd sort)	4.70	5.17	Seers per rupee.
Ragi	9.48	9.28	

Agricultural operations.—Ragi thrashing is going on. The standing crops are fair. Cattle are in good condition. Water and fodder are sufficient.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Markets are fairly well supplied.
9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing operations are going on in Nelamangala Taluk for sowing sugar-cane and weeding operations are going on in Devanhalli Taluk.
Seeds sown.—Sugar-cane in Bangalore and Channapatna Taluks.
Standing crops.—Sugar-cane in all the taluks; paddy in Bangalore, Doddballapur, Magadi, Channapatna and Devanhalli Taluks and mulberry in Devanhalli Taluk and Closepet Sub-Taluk are reported to be in good condition.
Crops harvested.—Ragi in all the taluks except in Bangalore and Hoskote Taluk; sugar-cane in Nelamangala, Kankanhalli and Anekal Taluks. Paddy in Channapatna and Devanhalli Taluks and potatoes in Hoskote Taluk.
Estimated yield.—Ragi 8 to 12 annas in Kankanhalli and Magadi Taluk; 8 annas in Anekal Taluk and 12 annas in Devanhalli Taluk; sugar-cane 12 annas in Kankanhalli Taluk, paddy 8 annas in Magadi Taluk and 6 annas in Devanhalli Taluk.
Damages to crops.—Nil.
10. Prospects of the season are fair. There was rain in Hoskote and Channapatna Taluks. Food stuffs are available. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.
11. Public health is reported to be generally good except for plague in parts of Hoskote, Nelamangala, Magadi, Channapatna, Anekal, Devanhalli Taluks and Closepet Sub-Taluk. Ordinary fever is reported from Bangalore, and Anekal Taluks and small-pox is reported from Channapatna and Devanhalli Taluks.
12. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy, except for Chapperoga in Magadi Taluk. It is reported that intimation has been given to the Veterinary Inspector to do the needful. Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.
9. *Seeds sown.*—Sugar-cane in parts of the Chintamani, Bagepalli and Malur Taluks and the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.
Crops harvested and their outturn.—Sugar-cane in parts of the Chintamani, Sidlaghatta, Bagepalli, Goribidnur, Malur and Srinivasapur Taluks and the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, yield 12 annas.
Standing crops.—Vaisakhi paddy and sugar-cane are reported to be in good condition.
10. Prospects of the season good. Prices of food grains stationary. Labour sufficient for cooly classes.
11. Public health is generally good, except for plague in parts of the Chintamani, Sidlaghatta and Goribidnur Taluks and relapsing fever in parts of the Goribidnur, Malur and Srinivasapur Taluks and the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.
12. Cattle healthy. Pasture, fodder and water are available.

TUMKUR.

8. Markets are well supplied.

Crops sown.—Paddy in parts of Tumkur, Sira, Tiptur, Kunigal Taluks and Koratagere and Turuvekere Sub-Taluks; sugar-cane in parts of Gubbi and Kunigal Taluks, and Koratagere and Turuvekere Sub-Taluks.

Crops harvested.—Sugar-cane in parts of Tumkur, Maddagiri and Kunigal Taluks and Koratagere and Turuvekere Sub-Taluks, yield to 8 to 12 annas; kadale in parts of Tumkur, Chiknayakanhalli and Sira Taluks and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk, yield 8 annas; jola in parts of Maddagiri, Sira and Gubbi Taluks; yield 10 to 12 annas; wheat in parts of Sira Taluk, yield 8 annas; cotton in parts of Sira and Pavagada Taluks, yield 8 to 12 annas; ragi in parts of Tiptur Taluk, yield 8 annas; castor in parts of Pavagada Taluk, yield 4 to 8 annas; and paddy in parts of Kunigal Taluk, yield 8 annas.

Standing crops.—Paddy, sugar-cane, kadale, jola, wheat, cotton and castor are reported to be in good condition.

10. Prospects of the season good.

11. Public health is reported to be good in all parts of the district, except for fever in parts of Tumkur and Pavagada Taluks; relapsing fever in parts of the Turuvekere Sub-Taluk; small-pox in parts of the Koratagere Sub-Taluk; chicken-pox in parts of Kunigal Taluk and malarial fever at Tiptur Town. Rats are reported to be falling at Tiptur Town. It is reported that precautionary measures are being taken to arrest the spread of the diseases.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy throughout the district except for sheep-pox and doddaroga in parts of Nidagal and Hosakote hobbles of the Pavagada Taluk. It is reported that the Local Veterinary Inspector has been doing the needful.

Water and fodder are available.

MYSORE.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed and made ready for Vaisakhi crop in parts of Mysore, Heggaddevankote, Nanjangud and Krishnarajpete Taluks.

Standing crops are sugar-cane, paddy, cotton and mulberry and they are reported to be generally in good condition.

Crops sown.—Jola in parts of Mysore and T. Narsipur Taluks, black and green grams in parts of Seringapatam Taluk are being sown.

Crops harvested.—Sugar-cane in parts of Chamrajnagar, Gundlupet, (12 annas), T. Narsipur and Mandya Taluks; paddy (8 to 12 annas) in parts of Mandya and Nagamangala Taluks; horse gram and ramtil in parts of Yedatore and Nagamangala Taluks, 12 annas; togari in parts of Yedatore Taluk; ragi, coriander and castor (each 12 annas) in parts of Nagamangala Taluk are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season are good.

11. Public health is generally good, except for plague in parts of Mysore, Hunsur, Gundlupet, Nanjangud and Malvalli Taluks; small-pox in parts of Mysore and Mandya Taluks and relapsing fever in parts of Mandya Taluk. The Amildar of Malvalli Taluk reports that dead rats are found in part of his taluk and such places are being vacated.

12. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy, except for naradiroga and chapperoga in parts of Malvalli Taluk. The Amildar of Seringapatam Taluk reports that cattle are suffering from some disease in Koodlukuppe and Kaparanakoplu villages.

Water and fodder are available.

HASSAN.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Nil.

Condition of the standing crops.—Sugar-cane in the taluks of Hassan, Arkalgud, Belur, Channarayapatna, Arsikere, Hole-Narsipur and Alur Sub-Taluk is reported to be good.

Crops harvested.—Sugar-cane in the Hassan Taluk; paddy in the Manjarabad Taluk; paddy and ragi in the Arkalgud Taluk; kadale in the Belur Taluk; sugar-cane in the Channarayapatna Taluk; sugar-cane in the taluks of Arsikere, Hole-Narsipur and Alur Sub-Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

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10. Prospects of the season are good.

11. Public health is generally good, except for plague in parts of Hassan Taluk; relapsing fever in parts of Belur Taluk.

12. Cattle are generally healthy, but for doddaroga in parts of Hassan, Arsikere and Alur Sub-Taluk; chepperoga in parts of Channarayana Taluk.

Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing operations are going on in the taluks of Shimoga, Shikarpur, Nagar and Tirthahalli.

Seeds sown.—Sugar-cane is being planted in the taluks of Shimoga, Sorab and Sagar and Kumsi Sub-Taluk.

State of standing crops.—Sugar-cane in all the taluks except Shikarpur; bile jola in the Channagiri Taluk and cotton in the Honnali Taluk are reported to be in fairly good condition.

Crops harvested.—Sugar-cane in all the taluks, except Shikarpur; paddy in the taluks of Shimoga, Channagiri and Sagar and Kumsi Sub-Taluk; ragi in the taluks of Shimoga and Channagiri, jola, togari, horse gram and Bengal gram in the Channagiri Taluk, and cotton in the Honnali Taluk.

10. The prospects of the season are fair.

11. There is plague in Shimoga and Bhadravati Towns, Gajanur, Kanasinakatte and Thadasa in the Shimoga Taluk, Jannapur and Durvigere in the Channagiri Taluk, Soratur and Madenahalli in the Honnali Taluk, Anavatti, Sakunavalli and Kubatur in the Sorab Taluk and in parts of Shikarpur Taluk. There is mild form of influenza at Santhebennur and Devarahalli in the Channagiri Taluk. Relapsing fever is still prevalent in Kerebilchi and Agrabannihatti in the Channagiri Taluk and malaria in the Sagar Taluk.

12. Except for Rinderpest in Sedagar village in the Tirthahalli Taluk and (ಬೊಂಬೆ ರೋಗ) in Siddihalli in Sorab Taluk, cattle are reported to be healthy. Fodder and water are available all over the district, except in parts of Shikarpur Taluk and in a few villages of the Channagiri and Honnali Kasaba maganies and in Santhebennur hobli of Channagiri Taluk, where it is reported that some difficulty is being experienced for water.

KADUR.

8. The markets were well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed for sowing purposes in parts of the Mudgere Taluk and Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk.

Crops sown.—Chikmagalur—Sugar-cane.

Standing crops.—Chikmagalur—sugar-cane. Kadur—besige jola, sugar-cane, wheat and Bengal gram. Tarikere—sugar-cane. Koppa—sugar-cane and pepper. Mudgere—cardamom. Narasimharajapura—sugar-cane. The standing crops are in good condition. It is reported that cardamom plants are affected by some disease in the Banakal hobli of the Mudgere Taluk and in consequence of which the leaves begin to wither, the plants dying later on.

Crops harvested.—Chikmagalur—sugar-cane, Bengal gram, garlic and menthya, estimated yield 8 annas. Kadur—besige jola, sugar-cane, Bengal gram and wheat. Koppa—sugar-cane and pepper. Mudgere—coffee. Narasimharajapura—sugar-cane.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food grains are available but their prices remain steady.

11. Public health is generally good. Plague prevails in the Kadur Town and in parts, Chikmagalur and Tarikere Taluks.

12. Cattle are generally healthy. Foot and mouth disease prevails in Anche Chamanahalli village of the Kadur Taluk and Doddaroga in Narasimharajapura Town.

Water and fodder are available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets were adequately supplied.

9. *Standing crops*.—Cotton, wheat, bilijola, kadle, paddy, sugar-cane, castor and tobacco are reported to be in fair condition.

Seeds sown.—Nil.

Crops harvested.—Most parts of Chitaldrug Taluk—kadle and wheat (0-8-0); Chal-lakere Taluk—bilijola, kadale, cotton (6 to 8 annas); Hiri-yur Taluk—wheat kadale and jola (0-8-0); Holalkere Taluk—cotton, sugar-cane and bilijola (8 to 12 annas); Davangere Taluk—cotton, wheat, kadale and sugar-cane (0-8-0); Molakalmuru Taluk—wheat (0-8-0). Jagalur Taluk—bilijola, kadale and wheat (0-8-0). Hosdura Taluk—bilijola, kadle and horse gram (0-8-0). Harihar Sub-Taluk—cotton (0-8-0);

10. *Fair*. Cooly classes are finding labour. Food stuffs are available. Prices remain stationary.

11. Public health is generally good, but for relapsing fever in the Holalkere Town.

12. *Healthy*.

Water fodder are available.

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IN MYSORE.
Dated Bangalore, the 20th March 1923.

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